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WASN'T FLIRTING WITH ME?"



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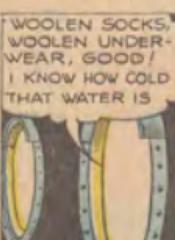
CAPTAIN, DO YOU REMEMBER BY JOVE! A CERTAIN CLEVER SCHEME I KNOW THAT YOUR NAVY USED AGAINST JUST ITS UNDER-SEA ENEMIES DURING WHAT YOU THE WORLD WAR?

THE WILY DWARF HAS ESCAPED BUT SAFE ABOARD THE BRITISH CRUISER DON WINSLOW HAS A SUDDEN IDEA

MANY TIMES BRITISH DIVERS LOCATED WRECKED ENEMY SUBS-- CUT THEIR WAY INTO THE HULL AND BROUGHT OUT SECRET CODES AND PAPERS-- WELL, I'M A QUALIFIED DIVER--

THEN WE'LL FOLLOW THEIR EXAMPLE!

SUPPLY OFFICER? CAPTAIN DAWSON SPEAKING.. BREAK OUT FULL DIVING GEAR FOR ONE MAN IMMEDIATELY



Don Winslow

OF THE
NAVY

by

LIEUT. COMMANDER
F. V. MARTINEK, U.S.N.R.

ANCHORED ABOVE
THE WRECK OF THE
OUTLAW SUB IN THE
BRITISH CRUISER'S
LAUNCH, WINSLOW
IS READY TO DIVE

SKIPPER, I'VE A
HUNCH YOU'RE
RUNNING
INTO TROUBLE
DOWN BELOW

NONSENSE, RED. I'LL
SIMPLY CRAWL INTO THE
SUB, GATHER UP THE CAP-
TAIN'S PAPERS AND BE UP
IN NO TIME -- WHY, WE'LL
LEARN ENOUGH DOPE TO
CAPTURE THE DWARF!



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EIGHTY FEET BELOW
THE SURFACE WINSLOW
IS PLANNING QUICK
RECOVERY OF SECRET
PAPERS FROM THE
WRECKED OUTLAW SUB

HELLO, COMMANDER—
YOU'VE BEEN DOWN FOR
TWENTY MINUTES—ARE
YOU ALL RIGHT?



OKAY, TOP-SIDE—
I'M INSIDE THE HULL—
HUNTING FOR THE
CAPTAIN'S STRONG-BOX

WHAT WAS THAT?
QUEER! FOR A
MOMENT I THOUGHT
THE DECK WAS
MOVING!

A MOMENT LATER ON THE SURFACE
PENNINGTON—
YOUR PAL'S CALLING
SOMETHING BUT I
CAN'T MAKE IT OUT

HERE,
TAKE THE
PUMP...

SKIPPER!
WHAT'S
WRONG?

THAT-YOU-RED?
PUMP-FASTER—
—MY-AIR'S—
FAILING!

BUT, DON! THERE'S
LOTS OF PRESSURE!
YOUR AIR LINE MUST
BE FOUL'D!

HOLY MACKEREL!
I SEE WHAT'S HAPPENED—
THE SUB DID MOVE... IT'S
SETLED DEEPER ON THE
SMASHED CONNING TOWER!

THE HOLE I CRAWLED
THROUGH IS GONE AND
MY AIR LINE'S SQUEEZED
FLAT... I'M GOING OUT
LIKE A LIGHT!

Don Winslowe OF THE NAVY

by
LIEUT COMMANDER
F V MARTINEK, USNR

HOLY
SOCKS! DON-
YOU SAY THE
WRECKED SUB'S
SHIFTED POSITION
DOWN THERE
SINCE YOU
CRAWLED
INSIDE?

THE WRECK'S
SUDDENLY SETTLED.
WINSLOW'S ESCAPE IS
SHUT OFF AND PART OF
THE HULL'S SQUEEZING
ON HIS AIR-LINE!



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WASH TUBBS

BY ROY CRANE



EGGZACKLY!



WASH TUBBS

BY ROY CRANE

I'VE ORDERED 1000 SQUARES, 2000 FORTY-HOUSE STEAKS, 3000 MULK-FEEF CHICKENS. EVERYTHING'S READY.

OH, DARLING, I HOPE IT'S A SUCCESS!

SAY, IT'S GOTTA BE... ALL MY MONEY, MY FUTURE, MY VERY HAPPINESS DEPENDS ON IT. I'VE FOUND THE GIRL OF MY DREAMS—GEE, WIZ, I CAN'T FAIL!

IS EVERYTHING SET TO DE BIG OPENIN SAH?

TO THE TOPSY TURVY CLUB.

ILL SAY! I'VE SPENT NEARLY \$2000. ALL TH' ENTERTAINERS WILL ARRIVE TOMORROW. I'M JUST GOING OUT FOR A FINAL CHECKUP.

HMM GOODNESS! HOWIN I GONNA GET THERE, MISTA TUBBS? DE ROAD'S BLOCKED!

(WHAT?)

← DETOUR

HEY! LOOKA HERE! WOTSA BIG IDEA?

WE'RE RE-PAVING HUNGER TWO. THAT'S WHAT. YOU'LL HAFTA DETOUR.

BUT, HOLY SMOKE!

HMM, GEE WIZ! I'M GOIN TO RE-OPEN TH' TOPSY TURVY CLUB. YOU'RE BLOCKIN TH' HIGHWAY!

I'M ONLY THE CONTRACTOR, MISTER. I'M CARRYIN OUT ORDERS.

BUT I HAVE A SIX MONTHS LEASE! I'VE SPENT THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS! I'LL BE BANKRUPTED!!

HAVE YOU AN APPOINTMENT?

TO HELL WITH AN APPOINTMENT!

HEY! LISTEN HERE: I'M ABOUT TO RE-OPEN TH' TOPSY TURVY CLUB. THERE'S ONLY ONE ROAD LEADIN' TO IT, AN' YOU'RE RE-PAVIN' IT!

YES?

TOUR

WASH TUBBS

BY ROY CRANE



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I'M RUINED! ALL MY LIFE I'VE WANTED TO COME HOME AND BE A SUCCESS. I'VE DREAMED OF FINDING A GIRL LIKE CAROL. I'VE OH, WHAT'S THE USE? I'M JUST A — A FAILURE.

DON'T BE A QUITTER, SON! GET A JOB! START OVER! YOU CAN WIN HER!

YA CAN'T WIN A GIRL LIKE CAROL ON A DOLLAR SALARY! \$12 A WEEK, GOODY. ANYWAY, HE OLD MAN KICKED ME OUT.

YOU SAID THE OTHER DAY THAT YOU DIDN'T NEED ANY HELP FROM ME. POOR R, THAT YOU WERE ABLE TO PADDLE YOUR OWN CANOE.

NOW THAT I'M BACK HOME, I'LL SHOW YOU WHERE GUNNAR TELS IT IS!

THAT'S NOT MY STYLE, LABBO. IF THERE'S ANYTHING I CAN DO — IF YOU'D LIKE ME TO PUNCH THOSE BLAZED THIMBLES TWO-BY-FOUR, I'LL DO IT ON THE HOME, JUST SAY THE WORD!

GEE, YOU'RE A SWELL GUY! BUT WHAT'S THE USE PUNCHIN' PEOPLE EASY? IT WOULDN'T BRING BACK MY \$9,000 — OR MY GIRL.

I THOUGHT IT MIGHT MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER. THAT'S ALL.

NOTHIN' KIN MAKE ME FEEL BETTER. I JUST WANNA GO OFF SOME PLACE AND DIE.

GREAT! THEN LET'S GO TO CHINA. THERE'S A SWELL WAR ON, AND I CAN GET US COMBINED US IN THE AIR CORPS.

SHES NOT AT HOME.

I — I'LL WAIT, MISTER. WHEN'LL SHE BE IN?

NOT TO YOU, MISTER. TUBBS EVER!

BUT I DON'T UNDERSTAND, SIR.

TO BE BRIEF, YOUNG MAN, YOU'VE BEEN PARTED FROM YOUR MONEY LIKE A FOOL, AND I HAVE NO USE FOR FOOLS AND FAILURES. I'VE FORBIDDEN CAROL TO SEE YOU AGAIN. GOOD DAY!

IT WOULDN'T BE SO BAD IF ONLY SHED COME TO THE WINDA JUST ONCE AN' HAVE.

AT THAT FLASHY CAR, BEHOLD THE PROUD TILT OF THE CHAUFFEUR'S HEAD. TO SEE THEM, YOU'D NEVER DREAM THAT OLD TUBBS WAS BROKE, WOULD YOU?

BURE, WOTTA I CARE? WELL GO TO CHINA AND JOIN THE AIR CORPS — I'LL BE SHOT DOWN IN FLAMES. THEY'LL BE SORRY THEN, I BETCHA.

WASH TUBBS

BY ROY CRANE



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BOOTS by Martin





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ED. TRACER

"G" MAN X32

VS THE OZARK KILLER

FLYING TO A VACATION AT A RESORT IN THE OZARK MOUNTAINS, "G" MAN ED TRACER, FINDS UPON HIS ARRIVAL A TELEGRAM IN CODE ORDERING HIM TO REPORT TO THE LOCAL HEADQUARTERS









THE NIGHT WEARS ON AS TRACER AND LANE TRY VAINLY TO LOOSEN THE CORDS THAT BIND THEM...

I HEAR OUR GUARD SNORING.... ARE YOU HAVING ANY LUCK WITH YOUR BONDS?

NO... THIS ROPE SEEKS ONLY TO GET TIGHTER... BUT LOOK!



WHEN COWBOY CAUGHT YOU TRYING TO FREE ME, HE DIDN'T NOTICE THAT YOU HAD SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THE LOCK... ONLY THE CROSS-BAR WAS HOLDING THE DOOR, AND I COULD JUST REACH IT SO I GOT OUT AND HID UNTIL IT LOOSED SARE. FOR ME TO COME TO THE HOLES... AND I'D BETTER CUT YOUR ROPE... THERE USED TO BE A SHARP AXE IN THAT WOOD BOX...



OUR CHANCES LOOK MUCH BETTER NOW... YOU KNOW TAWS SPOKE OF THE REST OF THE GANG BEING AWAY SO THAT'S A LUCKY BREAK FOR US, TOO.... I THINK THAT THERE ARE ONLY 3 MORE OF THOSE RATS TO DEAL WITH

THERE'S ONE OF THEM, ASLEEP

I HATE TO HIT THIS FELLOW WITHOUT HAVING THE PLEASURE OF HIM KNOWING IT BUT WE CAN'T TAKE THE CHANCE OF HIS WAKING UP AND GIVING AN ALARM

DON'T HURT YOUR HAND!





MAJOR HOOPPLE



RED RYDER

RED RYDER

CUTTING TWO GOLD-HUNTERS
DOWN, RED RYDER AND A LITTLE
INDIAN RIVER OF GOLD. RED
RYDER AND LITTLE BEAVER FEAR
TROUBLE WITH THE MOUNTAINS AS
WELL AS FROM INDIANS.

WE NOW IN PLenty BAD
COUNTRY, RED RYDER, BUT
GOLD AND GOLDEN RIVER
BELIEVE IN YOUR CURSE!

YOU AND I KNOW BETTER,
LITTLE BEAVER, BUT WE
MIGHT OUT TO GUIDE
THEM AND WE'RE NOT
BREAKING DOWN!



RED RYDER

Fred Harman

"UNLUCKY THAT THEY ARE ENLISTED
BY HOSTILE INDIANS, RED RYDER AND
LITTLE BEAVER GIVE TWO
PROFOUNDERS TO A LEGENDARY
GOLD MINING."

"WHERE'S BEEN
INDIANS RYDER?"

"I'VE BEEN TRYING TO WARN YOU WHAT
WE'RE UP AGAINST ON THIS TRIP—
HOW YOU KNOW?"



RED RYDER

RED RYDER

BRING EVIDENCE OF A
MAHONEY, RED RYDER AND THE
MOUNTAIN MEN WILL DO IT. I'D BETTY
DO IT. A BUNCH OF 'EM... AND
LITTLE BEAVER VANISHES.

YOU AND DEAD GUARD CAMP... I'M
LOOKING FOR LITTLE BEAVER!

BUT YOUSELF, RED RYDER, WE
COME HERE TO PAN GOLD
AND GOLD'S WHAT WE'RE
DOING FOR... RIGHT NOW!



RED RYDER

By HATCHMAN

HAVING GUIDED TWO
HUNTERS WHO HOSTILE INDIAN
COMBINED TO CAPTURE THE LITTLE
BEAVER CAPTURED BY THE TRIBE
WHICH IS SURNAMED FABULOUSLY
"RICH GOLD DEPOSITS."



BUT BACK AT CAMP, RED'S GOLD-RAZED
COMPANION HAS DISREGARDED HIS ORDER TO STAND
WATCH, AND IS NOW HUNTING FOR GOLD IN THE FOREST-EDGE STREAM.



ANOTHER MOMENT LATER, THIS GOLD-RAZED INDIAN IS SHOT TO DEATH WHEN THE RIVER'S SHOOT-OUT OCCURS. THE INDIANS SWIM ASIDE — AN ANOTHER PIERCING HIS HEART.

WE'RE RICH, GRAMIN' THESE
PEBBLES ARE PURE GOLD!



LITTLE BEAVER'S RIGHT, CHIEF! STAND ASIDE!



COME ON, LITTLE BEAVER! YOU'RE GETTIN' OUTA HERE!



LITTLE BEAVER

By HATCHMAN

WHATCHA DOIN', KID?



BUT YOU AIN'T MAKIN' IT RIGHT! YOU'VE CHOPPED OUT STICK — END!



RED RYDER

FRED HAYMAN

LOOKS LIKE WE KNOCKED
WALKED INTO A TRAP,
LITTLE BEAVER!

YES, FOOLISH ONE WITH RED HAIR
COMING AND SEE—MY BRAVES CAPTURE ONE
OF YOUR GOLD-DIGGING FOOLISH FRIENDS AND
SLAY THE OTHER!

IN TRYING TO RESCUE
LITTLE BEAVER FROM THE
HORSES OF THE BRAVES, HE LEARNED THE
SECRET OF FABULOUSLY RICH
GOLD DIGHOUSE. RED RYDER
HIMSELF IS CAPTURED.

ALSO THEY BRING YOUR FIVE HORSES AND
FOOD FOR SIX FEAST TO THE SUN GOD.
NOT LONG CAN YOU SURVIVE
WITHOUTS BEFORE
YOU DIE TONIGHT!

RYDER? GET US
OUT OF HERE—YOU
GOTTA SAVE ME!

GARTH YOU STUPID
FOOL, COLONEL
EVERYONE LEFT
CAMP WHILE I
LOOKED FOR LITTLE
BEAVER?

WHO WOULD BE
IF WE GOTTA DIE?
THEN TAKE IT
LIKE A MAN!

MY MESSING,
MY LITTLE
BEAVER,
GODFORGETS
THAT'S ONLY
FATE IN STORE
FOR ME,
FRED, RED—
WHICH IS SOON
THE CLEVER
GRANDMOTHER
SPEAKS.

YOU BIG FOOL, RED RYDER,
YOU HADNOHIDE—I CAN
HELP ESCAPE IF HE
MADDO ME.

RED RYDER MARRY ME?
NO—HIM RAISING THE
HIM NO SQUAW MAN!

THAT MAKE WHITE
FAWN SAY—THEY
WILL ENRAGE
HIM SO...

CUTE AS
A BABY,
MISTER REDY
RYDER, SQUAW
SO COOL!

LISTEN—EVEN NOW THE
DARK CHIEF HEARTS,
SO TO TELL RYDER,
SAY THAT WHITE FAWN
WILL HAVE HIPS IF...

YOU GOTTA IDEA
LIKE PECANSTAR,
BUT MY TAIL IS
NOT JOHN HOPPS,
BUT ME NOT...

AND THE LOW BOOM
BOOM OF THE TOMBON
ECHOED DOWN THE
CANYON WALLS...

RED! RED RYDER! SQUAW!
WHITE FAWN SAY SHE HELP!
YOU ESCAPE—IF YOU
MARRY HER!

WHAT?...
ME ANGRY
AMONG
LILLY SQUAW?
NO!

LITTLE BEAVER

BY
FRED

LONG YEARS BEFORE DID
PLACED OVER BEAVER WHERE
FIGHT ON BATTLE.

WHERE'D
YOU...

PROTECTED THE GROUND,
AND NO ONE KNEWWHY
OUR PEOPLE NEVER REURNED
BATTLE TO INVADE?

WE SO A HAVING WE—RED RYDER
LEAVEN SQUAWED EXPLOD?

RED RYDER

RED RYDER, CAPTURED BY INDIANS
WHO GUARD RICH GOLD FIELDS.
HOOD'S DEATH RATHER THAN FREEDOM
BROUGHT MESSAGE TO THE INDIAN
SHIE, WHITE HAWK.

WEIRD BYTES
WHITE FANG AND WOLLY
OLD DOG AND THE
WILLY WAGGLES

NO!



RED RYDER

RED STONE CAPTAIN OF THE INDIAN TRAIL GUARDIAN
WILL NOT BE DEFEATED BY
A FEW BRAVE MEN. HE HAS
ALREADY HAD TO FIGHT
SIXTY BRAVE INDIANS AND
IS SO BRAVE AND FIERCE
THAT HE HAS NOT BEEN
DEFEATED YET.

WHITE MAN MUST DIE
WITH PALE FACE MEN FOR
BECAUSE WE ARE PEACEFUL
WE SACRIFICED THEM
SO READY -- GET THEM
DOWN!



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY BLOSSER



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY BLOSSER



Clyde Beatty



DAREDEVIL LION & TIGER TRAINER

CYDE BEATTY AND THE NATIVE BOY LOKO FOLLOWED PEGO AND THE TIGUANAYA TRIBES. DID THEY GET ANOTHER SOUL? THEY HAD JOINED PEGO BONERS. HE AND PEGO SILENTLY SLIPPED INTO THE TIGUANAYA TENTS AND STOLE A BULL TIGER. CYDE, WE JOIN THE TWO IN THE HUGE TREE.

SEE LOKO, THE YOUNG BEARING CROWN NEEDS OUT OF SIGHT!

VAN, DUNNIN'













Myra North

Special Nurse

by RAY THOMPSON and CHARLES COLL

INSIDE THE BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT, MYRA EXAMINES THE REVOLVER SHE HAS FOUND IN THE OVERTURNED LUGGAGE.

SUDDENLY A KEY SPINS IN THE LOCK. THE DOOR IS KICKED OPEN.

STOP!

I'M ARMED AND I'LL SHOOT THE FIRST ONE TO CROSS THE TIME SPHERE!

GO ON, BENSON, SHE'S BLUFFING!

POW!

ONLY TWO BULLETS I'VE GOT TO MAKE THEM COUNT!



BLUFFING? WAS SHE? LOOK AT MY HAND!

COME, A BURST OF MAGNUM BULLETS WILL MAKE THAT ROOM LOOK LIKE A SIEVE!

AS SOON AS BENSON LEAPS BACK, MYRA QUICKLY SHUTS THE DOOR AND FILES LUGGAGE BEFORE IT.

SLIM HER IN CLOTHES, JESUS. WE PASH THIS QUIKE!



PETRO! LOOK! A SPECK TO THE NORTH!

BEHIND HER BARRICADE IN THE LUGGAGE COMPARTMENT, MYRA PREPARES TO MAKE HER LAST BULLET COUNT!

THIS MAY BE MY LAST CONSCIOUS ACT, BUT IT'S GOING TO BE A SATISFACTION!



BUT IN THE BLACK BULLET PLANS THERE IS CONSTERNATION

PETRO! TAKE OFF GUARDS THAT'S A GOVERNMENT PLANE!

WITH A MIGHTY ROAR, THE PILOT ROARS OVER THE AIRLINER AS MYRA'S BULLET GLANCES HARMLESSLY OFF THE FUSELAGE.



SOMETHING'S SCARED THEM AWAY, WHITEY - WE'RE SAVED!



NOT A CHANCE, LIEUTENANT - HE'LL BE OVER THE BORDER IN TWO MINUTES - THAT'S NOT FOR HIS GAME!

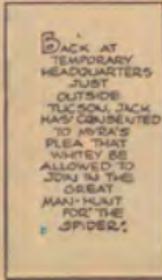


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Nurse

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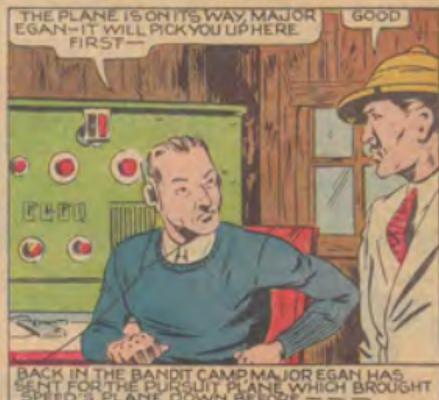
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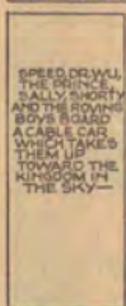
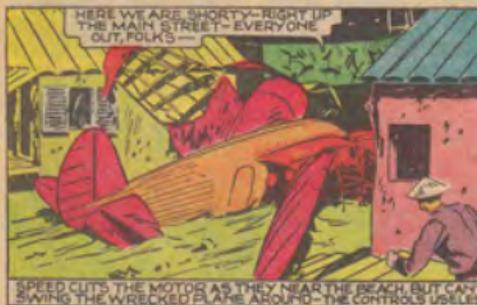
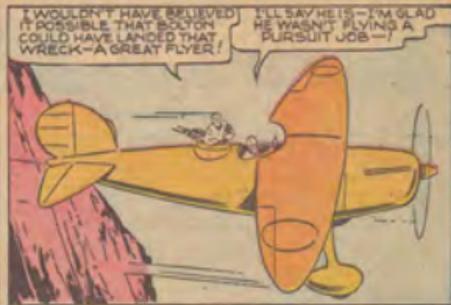
AIR ACE

AFTER RESCUING PRINCE CHANG-LI FROM MAJOR EGAN, — SPEED BOLTON, SHORTY, SALLY, DR. WU AND THE ROVING BOYS ESCAPE IN SPEED'S DAMAGED PLANE AND HEAD FOR THE PRINCE'S KINGDOM IN THE SKY —









APPLE MARY AND DENNIE

BY MARTHA ORR



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MEANWHILE, SUNNY GAZES SPELLBOUNDED AT HER GLITTER 'GO SURROUNDINGS. MARY AND BILL FIND THEIR FIRST CLUE TO HER, WHEREABOUTS.

LOOK, BILL! HERE'S MY BASKET! THE ONE SUNNY WAS IN WHEN THE MAN STOLE IT.

HOT DORIS! WE'RE ON THE RIGHT TRACK.

DO YOU SEE A LITTLE RED-HEADED GIRL WANDERING AROUND HERE?

NOPE. SAY—WAIT—I SAW ONE IN A BIG CAR WITH A SWELL LOOKIN' LADY.



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TOM MIX

and the story of
HOODOO RANCH

TOM AND THE SHERIFF ARE HIDING FROM OUTLAWS LEAD BY JACK JONES. SHERIFF'S FOUL PLAY? MERRIMAN'S UNCLE RANAWAY! THIS LEFT TED IN PERIL. BUT THE COWBOYS ARE DETERMINED TO THE RANCH FOR THE RAID! SOON A TERRIFIC GUN BATTLE HAS STARTED. THE BIG OUTLAW'S GUN CLEARED, BUT THE SHERIFF, RED, REPPED HIS GUNS BOUNDING. TOM, MERRIMAN'S UNCLE, HAS DISCOVERED SOMETHING IN THE CELLAR...



Tom Mix

and the story of HOODOO RANCH



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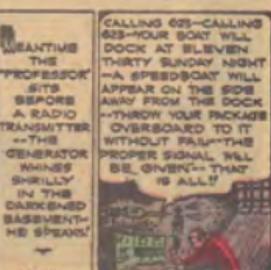


HMM? I JUST WONDER WHAT THE PROFESSOR'S RACKET IS--HE IS A CREEPY OLD GENT--AND SLUG TOLD ME THE RACKET IS BIG!!

A LONELY OLD HOUSE--ENTIRELY SURROUNDED BY A HIGH FENCE--ELECTRICALLY LOADED--GATES BY VICIOUS WATCH DOGS--WIRED CHAIRS--I AM BEGINNING TO THINK THE PROFESSOR IS CRAZY!!



CUT THE CHATTER ABOUT HIM--NEVER MENTION HIS NAME!!



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TIME MARCHES BACK

WITH

LOONEY LUKE
INVENTOR OF THE
TIME MACHINE

By
WIN SMITH

WITH A SIMPLE TWIST
OF THE DIAL, THE TIME
MACHINE CAN TRANSPORT
LOONEY LUKE OVER THE
SPAN OF YEARS INTO ANY
AGE, OR THE DISTANT
PAST, IN A MOMENTS
NOTICE!

I SET THE DIAL OF MY TIME MACHINE
FOR THE TWELFTH CENTURY, AND
I'LL BE DOGGED IF IT DON'T LOOK
LIKE I'M GOIN' TO LAND IN
TURKEY!!!





I DON'T KNOW HOW THEY GOT THE IDEA THEY ARE A MAGICIAN. BUT I'LL DO ANYTHING TO SAVE MY SCALP! - I'LL DO A LITTLE JUGGLING FIRST. SOMETHING I PICKED UP AT SCHOOL!!



HOW'S THIS, TOOTS ?? DO YOU THINK YOUR OLD MAN WILL APPRECIATE IT ??



OH-OH-I MISSED ONE. I HOPE HIS HIGHNESS DOESN'T CONSIDER IT A TROPHY OR SOMPIN'!!



MAYBE I'D BETTER QUIT JUGGLING AND TRY SOMPIN' ELSE, TO GET HIS MIND OFF THAT BUSTED MUG!!



YOU DON'T MIND IF I BORROW THIS OLD URN FOR A MINUTE ?? I WISH TO DISPOSE OF ALL THESE BROKEN PIECES! DON'T WORRY, THIS IS GOIN' TO BE A GREAT TRICK!!

IF I CAN ONLY BLUFF HIM ALONG FOR A MINUTE, I MAY SEE A CHANCE TO ESCAPE.



THIS TRICK YOU ABE ABOUT TO DO IS A LITTLE OLD - BUT IT IS STILL GOOD. ONE OF THE CLEVEREST OF THE VANISHING GAGS, IF DONE PROPERLY. I DO IT MYSELF, ON RARE OCCASIONS.



I WAS A MAGICIAN IN VAUDEVILLE ONCE. HE BUSTED UP EVERYTHING WITH A HAMMER BEFORE HE PUT IT IN THE URN - SO I GUESS THIS IS MY NEXT MOVE!



-A LITTLE OUT OF THE ORDINARY, DON'T YOU THINK? THOSE JEWELS ARE GOING TO BE HARD TO REPLACE, IF THE TRICK FAILS!!



KEEP CALM, SIR! LET ME DO ALL THE WORRYIN'!!



Major Hoople



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